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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
R. ERIC MONTGOMERY	:	Examiner: Melba N. Baumgarner
	: TC Art Unit: 3732	
Appln. No.: 10/670,950) :	
Filed: September 25, 2003)	
For: THERAPEUTIC RESPONSIVE)	
DENTAL GEL COMPOSITION	:	Date: April 4, 2006
Commissioner for Patents		
P.O. Box 1450		
Alexandria VA 22313-1450		

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action of March 7, 2006, in the above-identified application.

The Office Action required election between two groups of claims, characterized in the Office Action as follows:

Group I: claims 1-17 and 43-50 drawn to dental compositions and methods of whitening teeth

Group II: claims 18-42 drawn to dental delivery devices

In response, the applicant elects Group II claims 18-42. The election is made without prejudice to the applicant's right to present the non-elected claims in one or more divisional applications.

Any fees due on account of this paper should be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0409.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this application, he is requested to telephone the applicant's undersigned attorney. All correspondence should be sent to the below address.

Respectfully submitted,

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